

KIM REYNOLDS GOVERNOR

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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March 21, 2019

The Honorable Paul Pate Secretary of State of Iowa State Capitol Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Dear Mr. Secretary,

I hereby transmit:

Senate File 113, an Act allowing certain operating-while-intoxicated offenders to be sentenced as habitual offenders, and making penalties applicable.

The above Senate File is hereby approved on this date.

Sincerely,

Kim Reynolds

Governor of Iowa

cc: Secretary of the Senate

Clerk of the House



Senate File 113

## AN ACT

ALLOWING CERTAIN OPERATING-WHILE-INTOXICATED OFFENDERS TO BE SENTENCED AS HABITUAL OFFENDERS, AND MAKING PENALTIES APPLICABLE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 321J.2, subsection 5, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2019, is amended to read as follows:

A third <u>or subsequent</u> offense is punishable by all of the following:

Sec. 2. Section 321J.2, subsection 5, Code 2019, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. e. Notwithstanding the maximum sentence set forth in paragraph "a", a person convicted of a third or subsequent offense may be sentenced as an habitual offender

pursuant to sections 902.8 and 902	.9 if the person qualifies as
an habitual offender as described	in section 902.8.)
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CHARLES SCHNEIDER	LINDA UPMEYED
President of the Senate	Speaker of the Bouse
I hereby certify that this bill	briginated in the Senate and
is known as Senate File 113, Eight	y-eighth General Assembly.
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	W. CHARLES SMITHSON
	Secretary of the Senate
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